

Table 6.  
**People With Income Below Specified Ratios of Their Poverty Thresholds by Selected Characteristics: 2005**

(Numbers in thousands, confidence intervals (C.I.) in thousands or percentage points as appropriate. People as of March of the following year)

Characteristic	Total	Income-to-poverty ratio											
		Under 0.50				Under 1.00				Under 1.25			
		Num- ber	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)	Per- cent	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)	Num- ber	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)	Per- cent	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)	Num- ber	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)	Per- cent	90- percent C.I. <sup>1</sup> (±)
<b>All people</b> .....	<b>293,135</b>	<b>15,928</b>	<b>464</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>36,950</b>	<b>679</b>	<b>12.6</b>	<b>0.2</b>	<b>49,327</b>	<b>766</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>0.3</b>
<b>Age</b>													
Under 18 years .....	73,285	5,648	241	7.7	0.3	12,896	346	17.6	0.5	16,679	382	22.8	0.5
18 to 24 years .....	27,965	2,625	115	9.4	0.4	5,094	155	18.2	0.5	6,379	171	22.8	0.6
25 to 34 years .....	39,480	2,248	109	5.7	0.3	4,965	159	12.6	0.4	6,574	181	16.7	0.4
35 to 44 years .....	43,121	1,842	99	4.3	0.2	4,186	147	9.7	0.3	5,599	168	13.0	0.4
45 to 54 years .....	42,797	1,494	89	3.5	0.2	3,504	134	8.2	0.3	4,573	152	10.7	0.3
55 to 59 years .....	17,827	663	60	3.7	0.3	1,441	87	8.1	0.5	1,923	101	10.8	0.5
60 to 64 years .....	13,153	498	52	3.8	0.4	1,260	82	9.6	0.6	1,684	94	12.8	0.7
65 years and older .....	35,505	909	69	2.6	0.2	3,603	132	10.1	0.4	5,917	163	16.7	0.5
<b>Race<sup>2</sup> and Hispanic Origin</b>													
White .....	235,430	10,288	377	4.4	0.2	24,872	570	10.6	0.2	33,864	654	14.4	0.3
White, not Hispanic ...	195,553	6,916	311	3.5	0.2	16,227	468	8.3	0.2	22,262	542	11.4	0.3
Black .....	36,802	4,302	238	11.7	0.6	9,168	332	24.9	0.9	11,484	362	31.2	0.9
Asian .....	12,580	647	95	5.1	0.7	1,402	137	11.1	1.1	1,909	157	15.2	1.2
Hispanic (any race) .....	43,020	3,701	220	8.6	0.5	9,368	324	21.8	0.8	12,582	357	29.2	0.8
<b>Family Status</b>													
In families .....	242,389	10,573	382	4.4	0.2	26,068	583	10.8	0.2	35,362	667	14.6	0.3
Householder .....	77,418	3,230	111	4.2	0.1	7,657	184	9.9	0.2	10,442	225	13.5	0.2
Related children under 18 .....	72,095	5,209	232	7.2	0.3	12,335	340	17.1	0.5	16,028	377	22.2	0.5
Related children under 6 .....	23,914	2,127	150	8.9	0.6	4,784	220	20.0	0.9	6,070	245	25.4	0.9
Unrelated subfamilies ...	1,220	308	66	25.2	4.7	456	81	37.4	5.2	568	90	46.5	5.4
Unrelated individual .....	49,526	5,048	143	10.2	0.2	10,425	224	21.1	0.3	13,397	265	27.1	0.4
Male .....	24,158	2,239	91	9.3	0.3	4,315	131	17.9	0.5	5,564	152	23.0	0.5
Female .....	25,367	2,809	103	11.1	0.4	6,111	161	24.1	0.5	7,833	187	30.9	0.5

<sup>1</sup> A 90-percent confidence interval is a measure of an estimate's variability. The larger the confidence interval in relation to the size of the estimate, the less reliable the estimate. For more information, see "Standard Errors and Their Use" at <[www.census.gov/hhes/www/p60\\_231sa.pdf](http://www.census.gov/hhes/www/p60_231sa.pdf)>.

<sup>2</sup> Federal surveys now give respondents the option of reporting more than one race. Therefore, two basic ways of defining a race group are possible. A group such as Asian may be defined as those who reported Asian and no other race (the race-alone or single-race concept) or as those who reported Asian regardless of whether they also reported another race (the race-alone-or-in-combination concept). This table shows data using the first approach (race alone). The use of the single-race population does not imply that it is the preferred method of presenting or analyzing data. The Census Bureau uses a variety of approaches. Information on people who reported more than one race, such as White **and** American Indian and Alaska Native or Asian **and** Black or African American, is available from Census 2000 through American FactFinder. About 2.6 percent of people reported more than one race in Census 2000.

Note: Details may not sum to totals because of rounding.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, 2006 Annual Social and Economic Supplement.